

LARSON • NEWMAN

Intellectual Property Law

5914 West Courtyard Drive, Suite 200
Austin, TX • 78730
Phone: 512-439-7100
Fax: 512-439-7199

RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

JUN 05 2006**FACSIMILE COVER SHEET**

DATE: June 5, 2006
TO: Examiner Jin Cheng WANG **FAX NO.:** 571-273-8300
USPTO GPAU 2628
FROM: Ryan S. Davidson
Reg. No. 51,596
RE: REPLY TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

U.S. APP NO.: 10/673,693
FILING DATE: September 29, 2003
APPLICANT(S): Steve Zhihua ZENG
ATTY DKT NO.: 1459-0300620 (1459-VIXS062)
TITLE: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR SCALING IMAGES
NO. OF PAGES (INCL. COVER SHEET): 8

Attached please find:

- ☒ PTO/SB/21 Transmittal Form (1 pg)
- ☒ Reply to Final Office Action (6 pgs)

CONFIDENTIALITY NOTE

The pages accompanying this facsimile transmission contain information from the law office of Larson Newman Abel Polansky & White, L.L.P. and are confidential and privileged. The information is intended to be used by the individual(s) or entity(ies) named on this cover sheet only. If you are not the intended recipient be aware that reading, disclosing, copying, distribution or use of the contents of this transmission is prohibited. Please notify us immediately if you have received this transmission in error at the number listed above and return the document to us via regular mail.

LARSON
NEWMAN
ABEL
POLANSKY &
WHITE, LLP

JUN 05 2006

PTO/SB/21 (09-04)

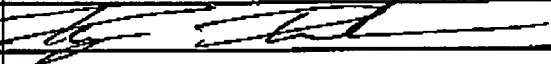
Approved for use through 07/31/2006. OMB 0651-0031

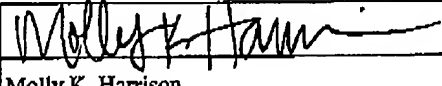
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

TRANSMITTAL FORM (to be used for all correspondence after initial filing)	Application Number	10/673,693	
	Filing Date	September 29, 2003	
	First Named Inventor	Steve Zhihua ZENG	
	Art Unit	2628	
	Examiner Name	Jin Cheng WANG	
Total Number of Pages in This Submission	7	Attorney Docket Number	1459-0300620 (1459-VIXS062)

ENCLOSURES (Check all that apply)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Fee Transmittal Form <input type="checkbox"/> Fee Attached <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amendment/Reply <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> After Final <input type="checkbox"/> Affidavits/declaration(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Extension of Time Request <input type="checkbox"/> Express Abandonment Request <input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement <input type="checkbox"/> Certified Copy of Priorily Document(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Reply to Missing Parts/ Incomplete Application <input type="checkbox"/> Reply to Missing Parts under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53	<input type="checkbox"/> Drawing(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Licensing-related Papers <input type="checkbox"/> Petition <input type="checkbox"/> Petition to Convert to a Provisional Application <input type="checkbox"/> Power of Attorney, Revocation <input type="checkbox"/> Change of Correspondence Address <input type="checkbox"/> Terminal Disclaimer <input type="checkbox"/> Request for Refund <input type="checkbox"/> CD, Number of CD(s) _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Landscape Table on CD	<input type="checkbox"/> After Allowance Communication to TC <input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to Board of Appeals and Interferences <input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to TC (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief) <input type="checkbox"/> Proprietary Information <input type="checkbox"/> Status Letter <input type="checkbox"/> Other Enclosure(s) (please identify below):
Remarks CUSTOMER NO.: 29331		

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT			
Firm Name	LARSON NEWMAN ABEL POLANSKY & WHITE, LLP		
Signature			
Printed name	Ryan S. Davidson		
Date	June 5, 2006	Reg. No.	51,596

CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION/MAILING			
I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the USPTO or deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date shown below:			
Signature			
Typed or printed name	Molly K. Harrison	Date	June 5, 2006

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.5. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.11 and 1.14. This collection is estimated to 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 and select option 2.

JUN 05 2006

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Steve Zhihua ZENG

Title: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR SCALING IMAGES

App. No.: 10/673,693

Filed: September 29, 2003

Examiner: Jin Cheng WANG

Group Art Unit: 2628

Customer No.: 29331

Confirmation No.: 4166

Atty. Dkt. No.: 1459-0300620 (1459-VIXS062)

Mail Stop AF
Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed April 21, 2006, the Applicants respectfully request favorable reconsideration of the above-identified patent application in view of the following remarks, which are believed to place the above-identified patent application in condition for allowance or in better form for consideration on appeal.

CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION/MAILING	
I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the USPTO or deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents on <u>June 5, 2006</u> .	
Molly K. Harrison	<u>Molly K. Harrison</u>
Typed or Printed Name	Signature